

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT KNOXVILLE**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>No. 3:09-CR-64</b>
	)	<b>(Phillips)</b>
<b>RONALD THOMPSON-BEY,</b>	)	

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

On January 12, 2010, the Honorable H. Bruce Guyton, United States Magistrate Judge, filed a Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) [Doc. 170] in which he recommended to deny Defendant’s Motion to Suppress Physical Evidence [Doc. 115] and to deny Defendant’s Motion to Suppress Statements [Doc. 118] (styled as “Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support of Motion of Defendant Ronald Thompson-Bey to Suppress”). The parties appeared before Judge Guyton for an evidentiary hearing on November 3, 2009. Following the hearing, the Government filed a supplemental brief [Doc. 143], and Defendant filed a supplemental brief [Doc. 151]. On January 12, 2010, Judge Guyton filed the R&R [Doc. 170]. On February 5, 2010, Defendant filed objections to the R&R [Doc. 197].<sup>1</sup>

This matter is presently before the Court on Defendant’s timely objections to the R&R [Doc. 197]. As required by 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), the Court has now undertaken a *de novo* review of those portions of the R&R to which Defendant objects.

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<sup>1</sup> Defendant’s objections are timely because he was granted an extension to file objections to the R&R [Doc. 170] up to and including February 5, 2010. [Doc. 193].

Defendant does not raise any new arguments in his objections, and the Court finds itself in agreement with Judge Guyton's analysis of the legal issues. Consequently, Defendant's objections [Doc. 197] will be **OVERRULED**, and the R&R [Doc. 170] will be **ACCEPTED IN WHOLE**. Accordingly, for the reasons articulated by Judge Guyton in the R&R [Doc. 170], Defendant's Motion to Suppress Physical Evidence [Doc. 115] and Defendant's Motion to Suppress Statements [Doc. 118] (styled as "Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support of Motion of Defendant Ronald Thompson-Bey to Suppress") will be **DENIED**.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**ENTER:**

s/ Thomas W. Phillips  
United States District Judge